



THE ENGLISH COURTSHIP.

I am a young fellow that's given for rual sport,
In union with darkeys the loafers I did resort,
I courted a damsel whose mother did me degrade,
She called me a drakard a clown and a great canea,

When I was offend I bid the old dame good bye,
I winked at the daughter who gave me the same reply,
I told her in private to meet me in Golden lei,
We never drew back till we met about noon next day,

My love was so loyal and came with such noble speed,
The moment I met her I told her mount the steed,
The day being advanced and we haveing no time to spare,
When she reached me a bottle and told me to take a drain;

When we finished the bottle to Cast el we made yur way,
We called to a inn where our dinner had no delay,
A shake in the pnn and we drank so much Congo tea,
Our slumbers were restless until the next dawn of day,

One night on my pillow I dream't that we both were seived,
I consulted with my love to cross the seas
He shid she get ready the weather was fine
We dreaded no storm while Neptune ruled the waves,

When we reached London we thought we were mighty safe
When a pair of policemen at peggy and did gaze,
The viewed our desclion the color of both our hair,
For our warrant was issued by telegraph news that day;

When we were detect,d the brought us before the Mayor;
He signed our committall; and sent us to clomel jail,
Her mother she swore that I was both fool and knave,
I entraped her daughter and took all her gold,

The bench was consuing her mother had no more to say
The called in th daughter to try if ag ing me she'd swere
She produced the last will thather father praated twice
He left her the farm the stock and the gold beside,

When the gentlemen heard the wil the father made
They began to advise her to shun sneb; a foolish rake,
She said I was most loving genteel young swain,
Was able and willing to work for hernight and day,

When I was aquited my love I did embrace,
We went to the Clergy who joined us in love and peace,
He got 20 bright guines to joia us in lo wedlock band,
Betwsen Carrick and featherd convey'd to slaxenamon;